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Mr. Henry D. Lytton 7 West Lith Street New York 18, New York

Dear Mr. Lytton:

With reference to your letter of 17 July 1950 and previous correspondence regarding your paper on The Raw Material Potential of World Areas Important for 1950 Strategy, I wish to express great appreciation for your interest in sending me this carefully prepared study.

Your paper has been studied at length, and it has been found that the information which it contains is already available in this Agency. I am consequently returning the manuscript to you herewith.

Even though the information you have compiled is already available here, it would indeed seem very well worth-while for you to present the paper to the American Statistical Association for publication in its Journal. After its publication it would be appreciated if you could have a copy of the issue in which it appears sent to this Agency for permanent retention in its library where it would be available for basic reference.

With my personal thanks and best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

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